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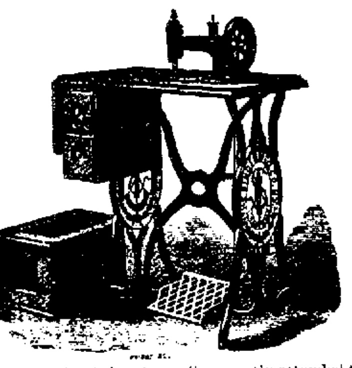

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Jan. 1, 1880—d&w

THE FAMILY DOCTOR.

WHEN one feels the approach of a severe cold, he may often find relief by using composition tea. The following is the recipe for the powder: Take one-half ounce of red pepper, one-half ounce of cloves, one-half ounce of cinnamon, one-half pound of bay-berry bark, and one-half pound of ginger. The ingredients should all be ground and thoroughly mixed; put in wide-mouthed bottles, and corked tight. When needed, put a teaspoonful of the powder into a bowl and fill with boiling water. Milk and sugar make it very palatable.

SPEAKING of corpulency, an exchange says: Take a hint from the lower animals: those who feed chiefly on animal and vegetable nitrogen are lean, as lions, tigers, vultures, crows; those who live on grains and carbonaceous foods are fat, as the bovines, equines, and domestic fowls. In general, the avoidance of carbon, in its various forms of starch and sugar, will produce leanness, though, if one has a tendency to corpulency, it may not be entirely checked by diet. Vigorous exercise is a help in checking this tendency. Active and nervous creatures are always lean. Over-sleeping habitually, and over-eating, produce excess of adipose.

IT is not healthy in any country, at any season of the year, or at any time of life (says a medical writer), to get up early, habitually; the old are better rested by lying late, even if not asleep, while the young require all the sleep they can get. In all latitudes, in warm weather, the morning air, although feeling cool and fresh, is laden with a pestiferous miasma. In winter, the atmosphere, before breakfast, is so cold and chilly and searching that it fairly shrivels up man and beast, chilling to the very marrowbones sometimes; hence the average duration of human life would be increased, and the amount of sickness largely diminished, by late rather than early rising, as all the other nations full well know and practice.

WRITING upon the subject of "cold feet," Dr. J. H. Hanaford says: Good health is never attainable if the feet are habitually cold, since this implies an impaired circulation of the blood; that it does not reach the extremities. Instead of "toasting them in the oven," soak them in warm water till thoroughly warm, and then dash cool or cold water over them, rubbing them thoroughly with a crash towel till a reaction occurs, using a flesh-brush freely. This, followed for a few nights, will generally warm the feet by improving the circulation of the blood. The brush, used on the whole body, is not only safe—safer than the cold bath, at least for the weakly—but will aid in equalizing the circulation. Let the feet also be put in the warm rays of the sun; the clothing warmed and thoroughly sunned. This will do much to improve cold and sweaty feet, and can do no possible harm. Keep the feet clean, which can be done only by frequent washing.

THE following, from Dr. Elam's "Physicians' Problems," is both forcible and sensible: Fear not to do the work for which your gifts qualify you; but do it as one who must give an account of both soul and body. Work, and work hard, while it is day; the night cometh soon enough—do not hasten it. Use your faculties, use them to the utmost, but do not abuse them—make not the mortal do the work of the immortal; the body has its claims; it is a good servant; treat it well, and it will do your work; it knows its own business; do not attempt to teach it or to force it; attend to its wants and requirements; listen quietly and patiently to its hints; occasionally forestall its necessities by a little indulgence, and your consideration will be repaid with interest. But task it, and pine it, and suffocate it; make it a slave instead of a servant; it may not complain much, but, like the weary camel in the desert, it will lie down and die.

The East River Bridge.

The following dimensions of the various parts of the great bridge spanning the East river at Brooklyn and New York will prove of interest:

Length of river span, 1,595 feet 6 inches.

Length of each land span, 930 feet.

Length of Brooklyn approach, 971 feet.

Length of New York approach, 1,562 feet 6 inches.

Total length of bridge, 5,980 feet.

Width of bridge, 85 feet.

Number of cables, four.

Diameter of each cable, 15¾ inches.

Length of each single wire in cables, 3,578 feet six inches.

Ultimate strength of each cable, 12,000 tons.

Weight of wire, 12 feet per pound.

Each cable contains 5,296 parallel (not twisted) galvanized steel, oil coated wires, closely wrapped to a solid cylinder 15¾ inches in diameter.

Size of towers at high water line, 140x59 feet.

Size of towers at roof course, 136x53 feet.

Total height of towers above high water, 278 feet.

Clear height of bridge in center of river span above high water, 135 feet.

Height of floor at towers above high water, 119 feet 3 inches.

Height of towers above roadway, 159 feet.

New York tower contains 46,945 cubic yards masonry.

Brooklyn tower contains 38,214 cubic yards masonry.

New York caisson weighs 7,000 tons.

Weight of concrete filling, 8,000 tons.

Size of anchorages at base, 129x119 feet.

Size of anchorages at top, 117x104 feet.

Height of anchorages, 89 feet front, 85 feet rear.

Weight of each anchor plate, 23 tons.

First wire run across May 29, 1877.

How Cheaply one Can Live.

From the American Miller.

Bread, after all, is the cheapest diet one can live on, and also the best. A story is told that shows just how cheap a man can live, when he gets "down to mush," figuratively and literally speaking. Colonel Fitzgibbon was, many years ago, colonial agent at London for the Canadian government, and was wholly dependent upon remittances from Canada for his support. On one occasion these remittances failed to arrive, and as there was no cable in those days, he was compelled to write to his Canadian friends to know the reason of the delay. Meanwhile he had just one sovereign to live upon. He found that he could live upon sixpence per day, or about 12½ cents of our money—four pennyworths of bread, one pennyworth of milk and one pennyworth of sugar. He made pudding of some of the bread and sugar, which served for breakfast, dinner and supper, the milk being reserved for the last meal. When his remittances arrived, about a month afterward, he had 5 shillings remaining of his sovereign, and he liked his frugal diet so well that he kept it up for over two years, possibly longer. Twelve cents a day is certainly a small amount to expend for food; but a man in Minnesota, about three years ago, worried through a whole year on $10. He lived on "Johnny cake."

We know of a theological student in an Ohio college who, sustained by grace, rice and corn bread, lived thirteen weeks on $7; but there were several good apple orchards near the college and the farmers kept no dogs. It is not the necessities of life that cost much, but the luxuries; and it is with the major part of mankind as it was with the Frenchman who said that if he had the luxuries of life, he could dispense with the necessities. Mere living is cheap, but as the hymnologist says, "It is not all of life to live."

The New Hoop-Skirt.

New York Hour.

The vexed question of crinolette has been partially solved by the introduction of a single band of steel into the voluminous folds of the back breadths of a skirt so as to unite them and give the amplitude of an antique tourniere. Although apparently simple, the adjustment of this incipient hoop is difficult, for the graceful fall of the drapery is entirely dependent on the correctness of its position. Hence, in this case, sins of omission should be lightly condemned, for a neglect to comply with the suggestions of fashion is rather praiseworthy than otherwise, when the graceful elements of a lady's attire may be imperiled by faulty crinoline.

A Mennonite Scene.

The Mennonites intend keeping to themselves, and have no intention of marrying or giving in marriage with the children of the land. At first some of the girls went out to service, but one having got married the order went forth that all the others were to return home at once, which was done. As a race they are thrifty and industrious, but their neighbors say that the women do most of the work. An open ditch about a mile in length, beautifully dug, and with the turf neatly banked up on each side, was said to be all women's work. Large numbers of women were also to be seen in the fields.—*Rev. Prof. Grant in Manitoba.*

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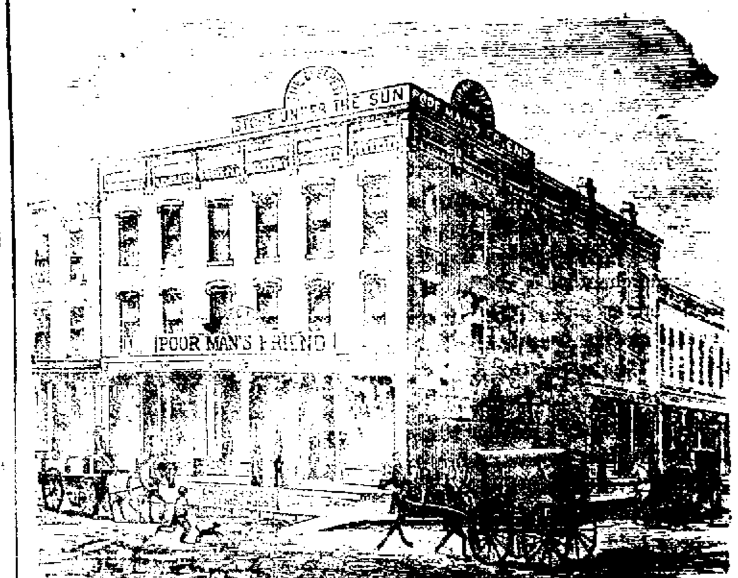

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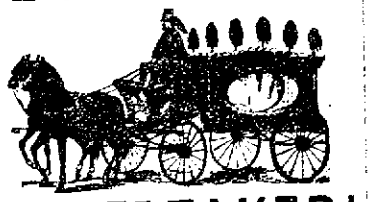

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DECATUR, ILLINOIS.

Entered at the Post Office at Decatur, Illinois, as second class mail matter.

In a libel suit in San Francisco, growing out of the *Chronicle's* accusation that the *Bulletin* sold its editorial influence to the Central Pacific Railroad for $30,000, the presiding judge ruled that such a charge was not libelous. "Is it morally or legally wrong for a person to advocate a project, matter, or claim for pecuniary or valuable consideration?" his honor asked, and he then proceeded to answer the question in the negative: "Talent is as much the capital of the advocate, the lawyer, and the editor as merchandise is of the merchant; he has as much right to sell his talents as the merchant his merchandise. The lawyer, the minister, the parliamentary advocate, the lecturer, the author, sells his talent, and he is not the less respected for so doing. The greater his learning, industry, eloquence, and the esteem in which he is held, the greater his pecuniary compensation. It seems to me that it is no more libelous to accuse one of selling for gain the support and advocacy of his newspaper than it would be to accuse the merchant of selling for gain his merchandise."

The Chicago *Journal* suggests that Guiteau most probably borrowed the "inspiration" idea from his great exemplar, Wilkes Booth, whose dairy, found upon his corpse, contained these words:

I can never repent it. I meant to kill. Our country owed its troubles to him, and God simply made me the instrument of his punishment. I hoped for no gain. I knew no private wrong. I struck for my country, and that alone. I do not repent the blow I struck.

The following is given as a means of detecting the small-pox:

The feeling of tiredness and pain in the back are almost universal and prominent symptoms, but the one thing that distinguishes small-pox from every other disease is the hardness of the eruption. By pressing and passing the hand over the forehead and legs, the feeling is exactly that which would be caused by medium-sized shot being buried under the skin, and the severity of the disease may certainly be known by the number or thickness of these shot like bumps.

Mr. Blaine is now busy in superintending the completion of his new house in Washington, and in adjusting matters of business which have long needed his personal attention. He is also giving a large part of his time to the composition of his eulogy on Garfield. He will probably spend the winter between Washington and New York.

On a Third avenue surface car the other day a woman entered the forward cabin, which is devoted to smokers. The conductor touched her on the shoulder, and told her that it was the smoking department. "You mind your own business," said she, and she took out a pipe, loaded it with tobacco, and enjoyed her smoke. —*New York Herald.*

Dr. Mary Walker has returned to Washington to devastate decency for the season. She now wears a natty silk hat, which she balances on her head with great nicety. She has a long, black overcoat, and the bifurcated garments are also black and of the latest cut, which, as may be remembered, is very tight. She has been interviewed by a reporter, and, crank-like, comes to the defense of Guiteau. "I think it would be a burning disgrace to the country," she exclaimed vehemently, "if that man should be hanged. He is a monomaniac on that subject, and he has shown himself to be insane throughout the trial. His hanging would disgrace me and all other citizens.

Manufacturing in the south has been given a new impetus by the cotton exposition recently held in Atlanta, Ga. The Langley cotton factory, located in that city, has declared a semi-annual dividend of $12.50 per share—over 20 per cent. for the year The net earnings for the year were 22 per cent. The Sibley mills will soon be in operation in the same city, and a site has been purchased for the proposed John P. King mill.

Manager Hoxie recently reduced the wages of laborers on the Texas Pacific road. When the pay car made its appearance at Wild Horse Station, about 500 miles west of Dallas, the track hands mistook it for Hoxie's coach and switched it. They threatened to lynch the manager, and piled wood around the car to roast him out. The paymaster partially pacified the crowd, but they kept him side-tracked for two days.

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THE HOFFMAN TRIAL.

Rev. J. P. Dimmitt Announced as One of the Prosecutors in the Case.

The celebrated Hoffman case will be called for an examination at Bloomington on Tuesday next. Says the *Pantagraph* of that city:

On Tuesday of next week will begin the trial of Rev. H. O. Hoffman before a church court composed of ministers of his conference. These ministers are to be the following seven gentlemen: Rev. M. A. Hewes, Farmer City, Ill.; Rev. James Miller, Urbana, Ill.; Rev. J. W. English, Danville, Ill.; Rev. J. B. Wolfe, Shelbyville, Ill.; Rev. A. T. Orr, Delavan, Ill.; Rev. W. F. T. Spruill, Waverly, Ill.; Rev. Thos. D. Weems, Griggsville, Ill.

The sessions of the court will be secret, as has been stated, and at the trial, which will probably be held in the lecture-room or one of the committee-rooms of the Methodist church, the parties admitted will include the seven members of the jury, presided over by Rev. W. N. McElroy; the prosecuting clergymen, who will represent the First Methodist Church, and the defending clergyman, who will represent Mr. Hoffman; Mr. Hoffman himself, and the witnesses, one by one, as they are called, a clerk who shall keep a record of the trial, and a committee of a few gentlemen to represent the First Methodist Church.

The *Pantagraph* has purposely refrained from taking part in this affair, one way or the other, and will continue to do so till the evidence is in and the facts are known. On the one side we have the fact that Miss Zettie Robinson is the mother of an illegitimate child; her sworn statement that the clergyman is its natural father; the possession of letters or notes which she claims are from Mr. Hoffman, and are in his handwriting, one of which is an explicit confession of guilt; the previous good reputation of Miss Robinson, and the excellent standing of her family; and the apparent absence of any reason for bringing a false accusation.

On the other hand, we have Mr. Hoffman's most solemn and public denial of guilt; his high reputation as a man and as a minister; his positive statement that the charge is blackmail; his previous vindication from an almost exactly similar charge at Quincy, and his demand for a full investigation into the facts.

As the time for the trial draws nearer, it becomes more and more evident that the church court has a serious undertaking before it. The prosecuting clergyman is to be Rev. J. A. Kumler, of Griggsville, formerly pastor of Grace Methodist Church when it worshiped in Amie chapel, at the Wesleyan. He will be assisted by Rev. J. P. Dimmitt, of Decatur. The defense will be conducted by Rev. Dr. Gurley, of Chicago, one of the strongest clergymen in the Methodist Church in the West, and a personal friend of Mr. Hoffman. Dr. Gurley, in addition to his native abilities and culture of a very high order, comes to this trial especially adapted to the work before him, having been a brilliant member of the legal profession before he entered the ministry. The defense will be at least equally matched in talent with the prosecution before the church jurors.

In addition to this, the accused has retained as counsel Rowell & Hamilton and Stevenson & Ewing, two of the ablest legal firms in the State. These lawyers, while they will not be admitted to the trial, may be of great service to Dr. Gurley and the accused in the church trial.

The judges may be said to be naturally inclined to be favorable to the accused, as they are brother clergymen, although it is not to be presumed for a moment that their professional sympathies would warp their judgment.

While the defense will go into this trial better equipped, perhaps, than the prosecution, the public is not to anticipate a whitewashing proceeding. Such would be ruinous to preacher and congregation. The honor and reputation of a minister are at stake, and nothing will preserve his good name but an emphatic vindication in the face of all the evidence.

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Insanity in Relation to Atmospheric Disturbances.

Peoria Transcript.

There have been more trials for insanity and for appointment of conservators in the county court during the last three months than usually occur in the space of a twelve month. It is, perhaps, due to the state of the weather, as it is natural for any one to feel gloomy and out of sorts when the weather is cloudy, dull, wet and sunless. Those with minds of small calibre allow these fits of depression to take possession of them completely, and instead of trying to shake off the feeling, rather give way, and the natural results are insanity, suicides and murders.

In looking over some statistics on crime and insanity we find that a larger per cent. of crime is committed during the years in which occur the "open winters," as they are called, and to which class the present winter belongs, than in the years in which the steady cold winters, like last winter, occur; thus, the number of cases of insanity and the number of crimes committed during 1882 will outnumber those of 1881.

Reasoning from this standpoint, and we think no one will consider it illogical, it would be well for those who are inclined to give way to melancholy, or who have any suspicion that there is insanity in the family, to take a trip to some foreign land when an open winter threatens, where the change in the climate, and new scenes, will effect the desired result. The drawbacks to this plan, however, is the fact that most cases of insanity are superinduced by business reverses and losses, and poverty's gaunt shadow haunts the victim until reason loses its sway, and a life once full of fire and snap is doomed to future idiocy, by a mere myth.

In reply to the democrats who charge him with accepting their 3-per cent. bond scheme, which he rejected last spring, Senator Sherman says:

We shall show the democrats that the blunder was their's. We shall show them that what we can do as an offer they could not have done by a forced loan. They would have compelled the people to have turned their 6 per cent. investment into one bearing half that amount, and thus have made their 3 per cent. bond unpopular from the first. We have by this loan come down easily to 3½ per cent, and now by the same process we will reduce it to 3 per cent. There was no compulsion about the first process, there will be none about this. Yet it accomplishes all the democrats pleaded for last spring, and not one of them can refuse to vote for it. They must acknowledge that their process would have been exceedingly unpalatable, if it did not seriously affect the success of the loan, and they must further acknowledge in the end that our method was the correct one, and the truth is that they are all mad that I, "a republican," should have introduced a 3 per cent. bill, and they do not easily recover their good nature.

The condition of winter wheat in this state, as reported by the state board of agriculture at Springfield, is as follows: The wheat acreage of the state is 12 per cent. less than last year, but the condition is promising and above an average in all but a few counties. In the northern division the area is 15 per cent. less than last year, or 12,212 acres, and the condition is 4 per cent. above an average. In the central counties of the state the condition is 3 per cent. above an average, and the acreage is 13 per cent. less than that seeded in 1880. Nearly one-half of the wheat area of the state is in the central division. There are 149,598 acres less of wheat in this portion of the state than last year. In the southern division the prospects have been seldom better at any corresponding date. The area is but 7 per cent. less than that seeded in 1880, while the condition is 8 per cent. above an average. In 1880 the wheat area of the southern division of the state was 1,639,698 acres, or 114,486 acres more than the present acreage.

London, January 13.—The Coroner's jury found a verdict of willful murder against Dr. George H. Lamson. Dr. Lamson is accused of having made away with Percy Malcolm John, his sickly and paralyzed brother-in-law, by giving him a dose of aconite in a patent capsule. Lamson expected to inherit his brother-in-law's fortune on his death. Lamson's father was formerly rector of the American Episcopal Church in Paris, and is now the clergyman of the American chapel at Florence. He is very highly connected in New York, his mother having been the daughter of the late Robert Schuyler. Mr Schuyler lived a curious dual life for years in New York, having, under the name of Mr. Spicer, a handsome mansion in Prince street, with a lawfully wedded wife and a family of charming children installed therein, while in his mother's up-town residence Mr. Robert Schuyler lived the life of a gay bachelor. It was not until his oldest son was nearly grown to manhood that the identity of Mr. Spicer with Mr Schuyler was discovered.

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NEWS BY TELEGRAPH.

DAVIDGE'S DAY.

He Quotes Scripture to Upset the Inspiration Theory.

The Murderer's Usual Speech

Washington, Jan. 13.—Upon the opening of the court, Guiteau said: "In justice to myself and Mr. Davidge, I desire to say that I received a letter yesterday severely denouncing Davidge, and my remarks against him were based upon that. I have found out, however, that I was mistaken, and that Davidge is a high-toned Christian gentleman and a sound lawyer. I desire, therefore, to withdraw anything I said against him. I still entertain the same opinion of Corkhill, however, I am satisfied I was wrong about Davidge, but right on Corkhill."

Soon after the opening of court, Speaker Keifer and ex-Attorney General Taft entered and took seats upon the bench.

After his opening speech, Guiteau remained a quiet listener for an hour. Mr. Davidge having used some pretty strong language in alluding to Guiteau, such as "This unspeakable liar," the prisoner retorted, "Oh, you are making all that fine talk for money," following it up with frequent comments—"That happens to be false," "That isn't true," and similar expressions.

Mr. Davidge resumed his argument and reviewd the evidence. He showed by the evidence of J. W. Guiteau, and other witnesses for the defense, the fallacy of Scoville's theory that the prisoner was an imbecile.

Davidge passed to the examination of the prisoner himself, his appearance upon the stand, what he had said, and what capacity of intellect he had shown, proving, he said, conclusively, that what had gone before had all been a sham and hollow fraud. Scoville had dilated upon his morality, and had asserted that lack of intellect was his failing. On the contrary, he had shown upon the stand wonderful memory, logic, reason and intellectual ability. Likewise, as the defense had claimed for him virtue and morality, the prosecution had availed themselves of their right to show the contrary, and what had been the result? He had been shown to be such a monster of corruption, dirt, depravity and wickedness that the country looked on with a shudder. "That might have been the case in July, but it isn't the case now. If you could see some of the letters I have been receiving, you would see that a good many people think I am one of the best and greatest men in the country," Guiteau shouted.

Continuing, Mr. Davidge skillfully and with wonderful effect reviewed that portion of the testimony bearing upon the prisoner's moral character, as evinced in his past life. "All this time," said the counsel, "no one accused him of insanity. In the estimation of his friends and his family, he was sane enough for all transactions of life, but when his hand is red with blood, and outraged law claims him as a sacrifice on the altar of justice, we first hear of insanity." Alluding to Guiteau's schemes in relation to the *Inter-Ocean*, Davidge said: "We have to deal here simply with the plans of an audacious mind, but there is nothing in such scheme to indicate insanity. It is a fact, I understand, that the stock of that paper once worth $75,000, is now worth $1,000,000, and it was done by putting in successful operation plans similar to those suggested by the prisoner. Summing up this incident, Davidge said: "It was no indication of insanity. It was simply in keeping with his idea that the great moving brain and one central figure of the day was that of Charles J. Guiteau."

"Thank you, Davidge," sarcastically called out the prisoner: "I'm glad you are beginning to think so. A great many other people think I'm the greatest man of the day; but I don't care a snap what they think. I haven't got a bit of egotism."

Davidge alluded briefly to the testimony of Mrs. Dunmire, the divorced wife of the prisoner. The prosecution were debarred from entering upon those confidences which exist between husband and wife. The defense could have done so, but they did not. Mrs. Dunmire did not hesitate, said Davidge, to testify emphatically that he was a sane man.

"She don't know anything about me," called out Guiteau. "I haven't seen her for eight years."

Mrs. Scoville, who had been busily writing all the morning, shook her head angrily, and ejaculated: "She's a liar, anyhow."

Her brother whispered a warning, but she repeated the comment still more emphatically

Commenting on the testimony of Dr. Spitzka, Davidge said that, notwithstanding some of his remarkable statements, Spitzka never denied the prisoner's legal responsibility. Accepting all his evidence, even Spitzka brought the prisoner within the reach of law and punishment.

At this point a recess was taken.

After recess, Mr. Davidge resumed his argument with a review and discussion of expert testimony. Never before had so many men of eminence appeared upon a trial of this character. The treasury had been opened to secure the attendance of witnesses; more than twenty experts had been summoned for the defense, many of them men whose names were known in every household. They came here: they watched the prisoner; they listened to his evidence; and what was the result? With two exceptions, they vanished from before the light of evidence, like clouds before the wind, and not one of them could come upon the stand and swear that this man was legally insane. They met and compared notes, and could not testify but to his sanity. With the exception of the two moral insanity men—and, I regret to say it, neither of them could admit that he believed in a God—they vanished from before you, and were permitted by the defense to withdraw without testifying. Now, what has been the result of all this evidence? This alleged fool has grown before you to a man of more than ordinary intellect. We have uncovered his moral nature. We have shown him to be, in religion, a hypocrite; at law, a pettifogger; in all things a swindler; a denizen of jails, and a depraved and wicked wretch.

In answer to the prisoner's claim of divine inspiration, Davidge read, with impressive effect, from the Epistle of James, 13th to 15th verses, inclusive, as follows:

"Let no man say, when he is tempted, I am tempted of God: for God cannot be tempted with evil, neither tempteth He any man; but every man is tempted when he is drawn away of his own lust and enticed. Then, when lust hath conceived, it bringeth forth sin, and sin, when it is finished, bringeth forth death."

The air of the room was very oppressive after recess, and quite a ripple of excitement was caused by a sudden stir at the rear of the room. Judge Davidge suspended his remarks until the confusion should subside. Some one called out "He has fainted." An eccentric court crier scrambled back through the audience with a glass of water in his hand, and as he neared the scene he inquired "Is it a man?" and being answered in the affirmative, caused some amusement by his business-like instructions to a bailiff to drag him out.

Guiteau. I think the most sensible thing to do, your honor, is to let in a little fresh air.

The suggestion was immediately acted on.

Davidge resumed his speech. In a few minutes Guiteau interrupted sneeringly: "You're putting that all wrong, Davidge; you are talking for money now."

Without noticing the interruption, Davidge adverted to the period of two weeks when "the prisoner was making up his mind to commit the act."

"I was praying to find out the Lord's will," broke in the prisoner.

Davidge (partially turning to the judge): "Let him go on. I will hang him upon his own testimony."

The prediction, however, appeared to have no terror for Guiteau, for his interruptions became more and more frequent. Allusion being made to his not paying his debts, he shouted, "I am a better man than Corkhill in that particular. I always pay my debts when I have the money. He don't pay his when he has the money in his pocket."

Reading from the evidence, Davidge quoted from Guiteau's own testimony this sentence: "I don't tell my business to everybody. I keep my mouth shut."

Guiteau retorted: "That's true, except here; I have to open it pretty often here." and in a few minutes he shouted in loud tones, "Confer not with flesh and blood; that was Paul's idea, and that's mine. I get my advice from the Deity, not from flesh and blood; that's the way Paul got his work in, and the way I did mine. The trouble with you, Davidge, is that you don't know anything about the Deity. He knows about you, though, and you'll know something about Him, when He gets you down below."

After disposing of the insanity and inspiration theories, Davidge continued: "There is not an element in this case that removes it from the category so carefully provided against in the courts. There was a daring, audacious boy, who, in the Oneida Community, gave way to a life of lawless vice. Later, as a man, a theocrat, who would overturn all law and churches; later, when he boasted himself to be of the firm of Jesus Christ & Co., you see the legitimate outcome of his wicked egotism. And it is just as legitimate and logical to find the true explanation of this crime in the same traits of inordinate vanity, desire of notoriety, and reckless egotism. As I conceive, the true and only theory of his crime is this: He conceived the idea of this monstrous crime, believing others were as wicked as himself, and that those who would be benefited by it would in some way interpose to save him from the damning consequences of his most heinous crime."

Guiteau continually interrupted, with constantly increasing show of ill-temper. "You'll get the Deity down on you for the way you are conducting this case," he shouted: and "He'll eternally damn you, Davidge." Again he cried: "The Attorney General refused to have anything to do with this case, because he is a Christian gentleman and knew the Deity was on my side."

His interruptions became so noisy that Davidge paused for a moment and said: "I trust, gentlemen, you will not draw any inference from this fact I do not take any occasion to reply to any of these falsehoods (turning his head toward the prisoner) that are being uttered here."

"You tell the truth, and I'll let you alone," snarled the prisoner.

Davidge read in detail the evidence of General Reynolds, during which he was continually interrupted by the prisoner, and concluded his remarks with these words: "I promised you, gentlemen, that I would not make a set speech, and in closing I shall indulge in no peroration except to say that your countrymen and all Christendom are awaiting your verdict. I thank you for your attention."

Guiteau added: "And I thank you, Mr. Davidge, for your speech. It is a very light one. I hope Porter will give us a light one, too. He had better see President Arthur before he commences. I wrote the President about this matter a day or two ago."

Colonel Reed said that he would prefer to begin and end without a break, and thought he could finish all he desired to say by to-morrow.

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SATURDAY, THE ELEVENTH DAY OF FEBRUARY, A. D. 1882,

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Decatur, Illinois, Jan 13th 1882

JOHN A. BROWN,
Master in Chancery for Macon county, Ill.
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Real estate, furniture and fixtures	21,977 14
Checks and other cash items	1,609 82
Bills of other Banks	[illegible] 00
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Specie	9,276 90
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Total	$433,308 22

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Undivided profits	7,305 29
National Bank notes outstanding	45,000 00
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Total	$433,308 22

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SATURDAY EVENING, JAN. 14, 1882.

LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

BRONZE LAMPS and decorated shades at E. D. Bartholomew & Co's.

MINSTREL show to-night.

THE rooms at the Central House are all filled about every night in the week.

AT the funeral of a girl in Springfield Thursday the pall-bearers were little misses, playmates of the deceased.

GET pure drugs and medicines at W. C. Armstrong's.

BUSINESS in the circuit court will be resumed at 10:30 a. m. Monday. So said Judge Smith last evening.

DON'T forget to call on Abel & Locke when in quest of first-class carpets.

STOP at the Palace Hotel. Plenty of good rooms.

CALL on C. B. Prescott, in opera block, for the boss pianos.

THE goods of the Cerro Gordo firm, Sauter & Hauk, have been placed in charge of David R. Alexander, of this city, who will liquidate the claims of creditors at 50 cents on the dollar.

BEAUTIFUL lambrequins at Abel & Locke's carpet house.

THE members of the Decatur Sportsmen's Association met last evening and effected a permanent organization. The constitution will be adopted article by article at the next meeting to be held on Friday evening. George P. Blume was elected president.

ORDERS for DECATUR NUT COAL, screened, promptly filled by R. McClelland. Telephone at Cole Bros.' drug store. jan13-dtf

YESTERDAY D. A. Maffit promised to give Cashier Meriweather of the Wabash, a $20 sealskin cap next winter. Albert Martin and the writer were witnesses to the verbal agreement.

"THE DRESSER," the nobbiest and latest style hat, to be had only at nov4d&wtf B. STINE'S.

ONE of the "Wild Santa Barbara Children" named William Henry Evans, who resides southwest of Decatur, was in the city to-day and got on a "bilin' drunk." A new policeman took him in charge this afternoon and marched him off to the calaboose.

CHOICE Wisconsin butter at Young Bros.' jan13-dtf

MR. BEN. GRAHAM, of Paris, the western agent for New York artists, was in Decatur to-day, and had on exhibition at Armstrong's drug store several life-sized portraits in India ink, the finest and most natural pictures we have ever seen in ink. The portraits are perfect and attracted much admiring attention. Mr. Graham will visit Decatur again and take orders for India ink portraits. Satisfaction guaranteed in every case.

WOOL lined slippers for old ladies on sale at L. L. Ferriss & Co.'s.

F. D. CALDWELL has plenty of Lackawanna Hard Coal—Chestnut No. 4, and stove. Office with American Express Co. Orders promptly filled. dec30dtf.

RAILWAY ticket agents in Decatur are generally recognized by our people as among the most courteous and gentlemanly employes of the companies that have roads passing through this city. They are always ready to impart any information with reference to their roads that is desired, and we have yet to hear any one accuse any Decatur agent with having the "big head" or in any manner acting as though he "owned the road."

NOT a particle of quinine in Carter's Liver Bitters, but they are particularly recommended to those who have long used quinine and felt its injurious effects. Sold by Hubbard & Swearingen. 10

THE frame work of that new $1200 addition to Lyon, Gipson & Co.'s planing mill is nearly up. The roof will be on in a few days.

YOU can be suited in carpets at Abel & Locke's, both as to quality and prices.

ICE formed again last night, and horses that made the first trips over the frozen mud in the streets this morning had a hard time of it.

ANOTHER car of choice eastern apples received at Young Bros.' to-day. jan13-dtf

PERFECT Fit and satisfaction guaranteed by Fleury, the French Cutter, corner of Old Square. Prices lower than the lowest. jan11d&wtf

DO NOT buy before you see the stock and prices of Fleury, the French Cutter, corner of Old Square. You will save money. jan11d&wtf

THE Rev. Geo. Landgraf conducted the funeral of the late Mrs. Frank Churchman, which took place last evening from the residence of her father, Mr. Weisner, on East William street. The remains were followed to the grave by a long funeral cortege.

SCHOOL SHOES for misses at L. L. Ferriss & Co.'s.

LOOK OUT for the Grand Special Excursion to New Orleans on the Illinois Central Railroad Thursday, Feb. 9th, at the low rate of $20 for the round trip, good for thirty days. jan14d&wtd

Ask your druggist for "Dr. Sykes' Sure Cure for Catarrh." Don't take any other. 11—d&w1w

THE CHURCHES TO-MORROW.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

Services to-morrow as usual. Sunday School at 2 p. m.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

Preaching by the pastor at the usual hours. Sunday School at 2 o'clock.

FIRST M. E. CHURCH.

Regular services to-morrow at the usual hours. Preaching by Rev. Dimmitt.

U. B. CHURCH.

Services morning and evening by the pastor, Rev. H. W. Trueblood.

BAPTIST CHURCH.

Sabbath School begins at 9:15 a. m. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 7. p. m. Topics—morning, "The Great Assassination;" evening, "The Memorable Night." We most heartily invite *you*, reader, to join us in these services.

Y. M. C. A.

Regular gospel services at 3:30 p. m. Rooms 26 Merchant street, up stairs. Young men and strangers especially invited. G. I. Harry will probably lead.

REV. MR. VILLARS and his congregation at Mattoon are said to be at loggerheads about an alleged discourtesy. Rev. Villars has been for three months the pastor of the Methodist church at that place, and one day last week he caused it to be announced that his wife, Mrs. Villars, who is known in Decatur as quite a literary character, would occupy his pulpit on last Sunday night; but the official board thought it would not be best to have the lady preach. And yet in the face of this notification, the reverend gentleman on Sunday morning personally announced that his wife would preach that evening. The choir didn't appear, the song books were removed, and there was much bitter feeling. Mrs. Villars didn't preach. The Mattoon *Journal* of Friday says: "The repetition of the announcement Sunday morning was regarded as a contemptuous disregard and defiance of the wishes of the board, and in no wise calculated to promote harmony and good feeling in the church. Three months of prosperity and good feeling had attended the ministrations of Mr. Villars and the board was only anxious that such should continue to be the good fortune of the church throughout the year, and no doubt such would have been the case except for this attempt to have Mrs Villars occupy the pulpit."

MARSHAL HEWES has gone to Terre Haute to bring to Decatur the thief who stole those two missing horses. The Terre Haute officials delayed the marshal's departure by a little crookedness in not forwarding the name of the thief so that it could be placed on the requisition. The Hoosiers doubtless feared that if they gave up the name of the thief then they would lose all hope of getting any of the reward money, but the Marshal will get possession of the robber all the same. Terre Haute officers are very much like Peoria police in their efforts to swindle owners of stolen property and clog the wheels of justice.

THERE are no immediate prospects of the Wabash, Central and I., B. & W. folks uniting in the enterprise of building a Union passenger depot. Decatur is badly in need of a creditable depot for the use and accommodation of the traveling public, and this has been the condition of things in this thriving city for nearly 15 years. It is the unanimous verdict of our people and all visitors that Decatur ought to have a decent depot.

A Wooden Wedding.

A large number of friends assembled at the family residence on North Water street last evening and participated in the celebration of the "wooden wedding" anniversary of Mr. Levi Griffith Kaufman and Mrs. Rude. The occasion was very pleasant, and a fine supper was served. The five-year-old couple in the matrimonial bonds were the recipients of a large number of appropriate gifts and warm wishes for their continued happiness and worldly prosperity.

Death of Charlie F. Chapman.

The death of Charlie F. Chapman, son of Mrs. Helen Chapman, took place in this city this forenoon at 10:30 o'clock, at the family residence on East Eldorado street. The age of the deceased was 19 years, 8 months and 7 days. He was born in Terre Haute, Ind., and was a marble cutter by occupation, having been employed in nearly every shop in Decatur. He was taken ill with consumption last July while engaged at work in Champaign, and becoming worse as the weeks went by he was compelled to remain in bed. The deceased was a young man who possessed many fine qualities of head and heart, which endeared him to all who knew him. The bereaved mother has the deep sympathy of all her acquaintances in her great loss.

The Original Georgias To-Night.

The above troupe has arrived in the city over the P., D. & E. road, and will appear at the opera house to-night. It comes strongly endorsed by the press. The Louisville *Commercial* of Dec. 24, said:

The above company appeared at the Masonic Temple last night to a house crowded from pit to dome, not a standing room left. They gave satisfaction in every respect. Somerville and Holcombe are the original grotesque dancers, and Harry Robinson in his songs and imitations of city life were amusing features; in fact all did well, and there was no cause for complaint from any one. "Aunt Percilla's Birthday" was given in conclusion, with A. G. Smith as Aunt Percilla, and John H. Taylor as Uncle Caleb, introducing the entire company. It is very funny and realistic of the negro holidays in the sunny South; and altogether the best colored minstrel show we have ever had in Louisville. They will appear again to-night; take our advice, secure seats early, as they are sure of a crusher. Admission, 35, 50 and 75 cents.

200 Men Out of Work.

These are the dull days on the Wabash, and to reduce expenses about 200 employes of the company have been relieved from further service for the present. About 100 men under Roadmaster Perry are thrown out of employment, and about an equal number under Supt. Clark at Springfield have been relieved. Business will be revived in a few weeks, when those discharged and perhaps many others will be given work. The rumor that a threatened strike along the line is the cause for the wholesale discharge of men, is flatly denied.

Enlargement

The Decatur REPUBLICAN, one of the best daily papers in the State, has been enlarged and improved, a gratifying evidence of the prosperity it so richly deserves.—*Alton Telegraph.*

The Decatur National Bank.

A few days ago we published the official statement of the financial condition of this institution, and called attention to the increase of its business shown thereby. We did not then speak of its list of stockholders, nor of the fact that they all reside in Decatur except four, and all but two in Macon county. The following is the list:

A. T. Hill,	D. S. Shellabarger.
D. W. Brenneman	Josiah M. Clokey
H. W. Waggoner	Wm. Bowers
K. Harwood	N. A. White
Anthony Thornton	W. C. Johns
Sam'l Anderson	W. Martin Estate
J. J. Jones	David Blalock
Jas. W. Haworth	Geo. D. Haworth
J. W. Bultman	L. L. Haworth
Mahlon Haworth	Joseph Clokey
K. H. Roby	N. S. Batchelder

B. O. McReynolds.

For Sale.

"Christie & Barnes'" abstract books. As executor of the will of Wm. Cantrell, deceased, I will sell the above abstracts to property in Macon county, at public sale of personal property belonging to said estate. Sale to take place at the late residence of said Cantrell on Saturday, Jan. 21, 1882. MICHAEL ELSON, Ex'r.

Jan. 9—d&w1w

THE MICHIGAN SUFFERERS.

A Letter of Thanks to the Generous People of Macon County—More Money Needed.

We have been requested to give place to the following letter of acknowledgment written by Mr. Robinson, one of the many sufferers by the disastrous fire which swept over a portion of the State of Michigan a few months ago, The writer tells a doleful story. More help is needed, and those who have contributions of cash or clothing to make, are notified that such contributions may be left at the American Express Office in this city, and Mr. E. A. Gastman and Mr. Werner will see that the same are forwarded promptly and properly distributed among the sufferers. Here is

THE LETTER:

AUSTIN, MICH., Jan. 11, 1882.

A. M. WERNER, Esq., Decatur, Ill.:

Dear Sir—As I am one of the fire sufferers and have just received a quilt that was manufactured at the grammar department of the Waro school, Anna E. Russell, teacher, requesting an acknowledgment of receipt, in compliance with that request I pen these few lines.—We, the fire sufferers, have much need to be grateful to the good people of America for the generous supply of clothing and bedding which we have received and which was so much needed. In that respect we are getting pretty well supplied, but in many other respects we are suffering. The supply of all kinds of provisions stopped one month ago, and the amount of money that the Detroit committee is paying to families—say of six—is $18, and that every two months; that to purchase flour at $8 per barrel, and all other things needed to supply a family; and now the taxes is coming due, and we have nothing to pay them with, and no prospects of any work in the lumber woods this open winter, and not much prospect of getting sufficient feed to bring teams through the winter so as to be able to work in the spring. If people are not supplied with seed grain for the spring the ground will have to go wild, for we have not got seed and have no means to get it with; but perhaps this will all be seen to by spring.

What we most need at present is money to pay taxes and help us to get material to build houses with. I myself have got a house partly built and can go no further until I can get money to help me along. The committee gives to each one that had his house burnt 2,000 feet of lumber and 4,000 shingles; so you can see how far that will go towards putting up a house for a family of eight persons. Such is my fix at present, and some are worse off than I am. I had just completed a new and very comfortable house in the spring; size 18 by 26, two stories high, well furnished for a farm house. Everything is gone; not one good dress for girls or anything else saved—not a coat to put on our backs; and our lives saved by laying flat down in a deep ditch that was in a field on the farm—and many more like ourselves. Oh, it makes me tremble to try and write it. But thank God none of us got burnt at all. It looks to me like a miracle that we escaped alive, for we were completely surrounded with fire; could not run in any direction.

Many thanks to all the good people for the help that we have received in time of need. God in his infinite goodness will bless them for it. If I can give you any information about the fire more than this I shall be happy to do so.

Yours Very Respectfully,

HENRY ROBINSON.

Postoffice address, Cumber P. O., Sanilac county, Mich.

That Forged Order.

This morning on motion of the defendant in the case of The People against Sarah J. McCullough, charged with forging James Connor's name to an order on Linn & Scruggs to the amount of $24, a change of venue was taken from Justice Curtis's court to that of Justice McGorray. The whole of the forenoon was taken up in introducing testimony and in little tilts between Harry B. Durfee, who appeared for the people, and Harvey Pasco, who appeared for the accused. A portion of the evidence that was deemed most important by the prosecution was ruled out by the court. The attorneys are speaking on the points in the case this afternoon.

A 10-Cent Scab.

Here is a good story from Sullivan, sent us by our former townsman, Harry J. Pike, who is the proprietor of a jewelry store at that place:

"A little old-fashioned boy, with an envious glitter in his eyes came ambling into the store this morning, and after looking upon the goods on the shelves for awhile, inquired: "Mr. Pike what's that toy pistol worth?" "Ten cents, Johnny," was the reply. A bright thought seemed to strike the little shaver as he said: "Say, mister, will you save me that one for three or four days? My *scab* is coming off, and the doctor says he will give me a dime for it."

That boy will be rich some day.

A Jolly Party.

There was an immense crowd of people at the tabernacle to "see the fun" at Prof. Richardson's roller skate masquerade. It was the first masquerade on wheels, and was the source of much amusement to the several hundred spectators and the skaters themselves. In all there were about 75 masked persons on the floor, but there were very few fine costumes worn. The make-ups were generally good. The Decatur Band was present and filled the spacious room with entrancing music as the skaters went round and round.

New Officers.

The following are the names of the new officers of Decatur Encampment, No. 37. I. O. O. F., for the present year:

I. W. Ebrman, C. P.
P. D. Kline, H. P.
C. P. Housum, S. W.
H. H. Stafford, I. W.
Wm. Towling, Scribe.
G. W. Patterson, Treasurer.

V. H. Perke's Feed Store.

He keeps baled hay, ear corn, oats, ground corn, ground oats, mill feed, etc.; has a large supply, the best quality, and delivers promptly. Prices as low as the business can be done for. Adjoining the tabernacle. jan13d2w

Lost.

In this city, somewhere between G. W. Downing's residence, on North Main street, and Roach & McReynolds' store, on Sunday, a black cashmere shawl, which the finder will please leave at this office, and receive a suitable reward. ja-dtf

STRICT ATTENTION, politeness always shown to patrons, no misrepresentations permitted at Cheap Charley's, the manufacturer of clothing exclusively for retail trade. jan12d&wtf

PERSONAL MENTION.

Judge Smith left for home last night.

Prof. Dwight, of Jacksonville, was in the city to-day.

Mr. and Mrs. David Martin are home from Indiana.

Emma Abbott, the noted singer, is coming.

Rev. M. L. Laws will deliver a sermon on "The Great Assassination" at the Baptist church to-morrow forenoon.

Dr. Gurney, of Chicago, is to act as counsel for Rev. H. O. Hoffman in his trial next week.

Miss Stella Mills, who has been visiting relatives and friends in Chicago for several months, is home again.

J. W. Baer, son of A. B., has been called home suddenly by telegram on business. He will visit us again in July and make us a longer stay.

Dr. P. B. Sparks visited Niantic last evening on professional business. He was called there by the illness of Miss Katie Cooper.

D. A. Maffit and Charles Tyler will probably go to Eureka Springs, Arkansas, early next month, and spend about a month in that region in shooting game.

William Doyle, whose parents reside near Moawequa, is a fresh law student in the office of J. M. Clokey, Esq. He is now going through the second volume of Blackstone.

Mrs. C. H. Browning, whose home is on West South Macon street, has presented her husband with twins, born last night. Both doing well—says Dr. Brown.

Mrs. J. M. Calkins and grand daughter, Ida Eugenie Pratt, of Unionville, Conn., are spending the winter with the family of E. B. Pratt.

S. Burgess, the resident chief engineer of the St. Louis, Jerseyville and Springfield Railway, arrived in the city last evening, and paid us a call to-day. Mr. Burgess' present head-quarters are at Elsah, in Jersey county.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry M. Oberndorfer and two children, of Milwaukee, Wis., arrived in the city this morning. Mr. O., who is a son-in-law of Justice Albert, paid us a call this forenoon, and renewed his subscription to the REPUBLICAN. He will leave for Peoria this afternoon, and Mrs. O. and children will remain here for two weeks.

Agent Harwood, of the Wabash, visited Urbana yesterday. He had several thousand dollars with him, which he used in taking up labor certificates presented by employes of the Wabash who have been temporarily relieved from further service.

The news was received in the city today from Wellington, Kansas, the home of the parents that, on Friday afternoon, Mrs. G. Frank Hargis presented her husband with a fine boy. "Mother and son doing well." Congratulations by mail by Decatur friends are in order.

MACON *Independent*: "N. Failing, Esq., proposes to make a visit to Colorado Springs, next week, to regain his health. He proposes to be gone about three months. We trust he will be fully restored ere that time." Mr. Failing is troubled with asthma.

Macon County Tobacco.

We now have in this office several fine samples of tobacco, raised by Mr. W. M. Browning on the farm of his son-in-law, Mr. G. F. Cottle, in Blue Mound township, this county. The tobacco is the genuine stuff, and looks as natural and hardy as if grown upon a plantation in the South. Illinois is a great State. She is great in population, greatest in corn, great in wheat, in hogs, in business, in intelligence, in everything, and the richness of her soil can't be beat. Macon takes the lead as the tobacco county in the State, and if you doubt it, see the samples, or call on Mr. Browning.

MACON CO. CIRCUIT COURT.

December Term, 1881, Judge Smith Presiding.

FRIDAY, JAN. 13—AFTERNOON.

Court convened at 1:30 p. m.

PEOPLE'S DOCKET.

The People vs. Carrie Hendricks; indicted for stealing clothing from Mrs. Elizabeth Davis; trial by jury; verdict, defendant guilty on first count, and value of property fixed at $10; defendant sentenced to imprisonment in the county jail for 30 days and pay costs of prosecution.

The People vs. John Miller; assault to murder; defendant withdrew his plea of not guilty and pleaded guilty to second count, a nolle being entered to first count; defendant fined $25 and costs.

The People vs. Louis Lowdermilk, indicted for laboring on Sunday; defendant pleaded guilty to first count, and fined $25 and costs.

The People vs. Frederick Wilson; carrying concealed weapons; defendant pleaded guilty to first count, and was fined $10 and costs.

Court adjourned at five o'clock until Monday, Jan. 16th, at 10:30 a. m.

PEOPLE are made happy by buying their Clothing of CHEAP CHARLEY.

DECATUR MARKETS

DECATUR, ILL., Jan. 14, 1882.

Following are ruling retail prices:

Red Wheat flour, per 100	$4.00
White " " "	4.25
White loaf " "	4.75
Potatoes, per bushel	1.40
Butter, per pound	25 to 3[illegible]
Eggs, per dozen	20 to 2[illegible]
Turnips, per bushel	1.00
Cabbage, per head	15 to 2[illegible]
Sugar, per pound	9 to 12½
Coffee, "	15 to 35
Tea, "	40 to 1.00
Lard, "	1[illegible]
Bacon sides, per pound	1[illegible]
Bacon, breakfast "	16
Hams, per pound	14 to 1[illegible]
Dried beef, per pound	15 to [illegible]
Apples, per bushel	1.00 to 2.[illegible]
Onions "	2.00
Sweet potatoes, per bushel	1.50 to 2.[illegible]
COAL.	
Hard coal per ton	$8.50 to $9.00
Mt. Olive soft coal	$3.[illegible]
Decatur "	$3.00
PAYING PRICE.	
Wheat, per bushel	$ 1.[illegible]
Corn, " "	55 to 6[illegible]
Oats " "	42
Hay, prairie, per ton	10.00
" timothy " "	15.00 to 18.00
Baled hay, "	18.00

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

The Closing Quotations at McWhorter & Rollins Commission Rooms, at 1 p. m. Today.

CHICAGO, January 14.

Wheat—$1.29½ January; $1.29¾ February; $1.29¾ March.

Corn — — January; 61½ February; 61¾ March; 66⅝ May; 66⅝ June.

Oats—43⅝ January; 43 February; 45½ May.

Pork—$17.17½ January; $17.25 February; $17.45 March.

Lard — $11.05 January; $11.10 February; $11.27½ March.

UNION STOCK YARDS.

Hogs— Estimated receipts, 15,000; Market market opened steady at yesterday's prices.

CAR LOTS.

Wheat, 51; Corn, 296; Oats, 116; Rye, 12.

TOLEDO, January 14.

Wheat—$1.37½ January; $1.38½ February; $1.40¼ March; — April; $1.43 May.

Corn—64½ January; — Feb; — March; 68¼ May.

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Our Department of Hats and Caps

Comprises the Staples as well as the Nobby Styles, and recommends itself to the old and young.

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TRUSTEE'S SALE.

Whereas, Thomas B. Adkisson and Elizabeth Adkisson, his wife, Horace Adkisson and Corrilla Adkisson, on the first day of June A. D. 1874, made their certain deed of trust whereby they conveyed to Charles F. Emery trustee, certain real estate in said deed of trust described to secure payment of one promissory note of said Thomas B. Adkisson and Corrilla Adkisson, of even date therewith, for the sum of two thousand dollars, payable five years after date to the order of Albigence H. Brown, with interest at ten per cent. per annum, which deed of trust is recorded in the Recorder's office of DeWitt county, State of Illinois, in Book 14 of Mortgages, page 292, and upon which note and deed of trust there will be due January 20th, 1882, the sum of $ 945 66; and whereas, said deed of trust provides that upon failure to pay or cause to be paid any part of said principal sum secured by said promissory note when due, on application of the legal holder thereof said Charles F. Emery, after publishing notice three weeks in some newspaper published in the city of Decatur, Macon county, Illinois, shall sell said premises; and whereas, in consideration of payments heretofore made upon said promissory note, all that part of said premises not hereinafter described has been released from said deed of trust; and whereas, default has been made in the payment of the above-mentioned amount balance of said promissory note, and the legal holder thereof, having made application to the undersigned to advertise and sell all of said premises not heretofore released from said deed of trust. Now, therefore, notice is hereby given that I, the undersigned, shall, on Friday, the 20th day of January, A. D. 1882, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon, at the west outside door of the Court House, in the city of Decatur, county of Macon and State of Illinois, offer for sale to the highest bidder, for cash in hand, the following parts and parcels of the real estate in said deed of trust described, to-wit: Lot four (4), beginning three chains and fifty-three and one-half links east of a stone at the northwest corner of section thirty-four (34), township twenty (20), north, range two (2), east of the third principal meridian, on the east bank of Ten Mile creek to a stake at low water, thence south 48 deg 45 seconds east with the survey of the Clinton and Waynesville road eight chains and seventy links to a stake, thence south 58 deg. 45 sec. east four chains and fourteen links to a stone, thence south 1 deg. 30 min. east four chains and forty-eight links to a stake, thence south sixteen chains and forty-four and three-fourths links to a stake, thence west ten chains and five links to a stake, thence north twenty-nine chains and two links to the place of beginning, containing twenty-five acres. Also beginning at a stone seven chains and fifty links west of the northwest corner of said section thirty-four, thence east eleven chains three and one-half links, thence south forty chains to the south line of the northwest quarter of said section thirty-four to a stake, thence west eleven chains three and one-half links to a stake, thence north forty chains to the place of beginning, except from said last described tract the following: Beginning at a stone on the south side of the Clinton and Springfield road 20 rods west of the east line of the northeast quarter of section thirty-three, township and range aforesaid, thence north 83 degs. east twenty-four and ninety-five hundredths rods with said road, thence south seventy-seven and thirty-four hundredths rods to the south line of said last mentioned quarter section, thence west twenty-two and fifty one hundredths rods with said line, thence north sixty-five and seventy-four hundredths rods to the place of beginning, and will make to the purchaser at such sale a good and sufficient deed of the premises sold.

The undersigned is informed and believes that Samuel Dunmire, Sylvanus Shurtleff, Paschal H. Mills, John Bishop, Jacob Vogel and Clifton H. Moore claim some interest in said premises subject to said deed of trust, and they are hereby notified that all right or equity they have in said premises will be foreclosed by sale thereof at the time and place above mentioned.

CHARLES F. EMERY, Trustee.
Dec. 20, 1881—d30d

TRUSTEES' SALE.

Whereas, Henry W. Michener and Hannah Michener, on the 15th day of December, 1871, made their certain deed of trust, conveying to Peddecord & Burrows, trustees, the following described real estate, situate in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, to-wit: The east half of the northwest quarter of section seventeen, and the southeast quarter of the southwest quarter of section eight, all in township eighteen, north, range one east of the third principal meridian, to secure payment of one promissory note of the said Henry W. Michener, of even date therewith, for the sum of $2,000, payable five years after date to the order of Anna M. Backus, with interest at ten per cent. per annum, payable semi annually, which deed of trust is recorded in the Recorder's Office of Macon county, Illinois, in Book 59, Page 67; that at the maturity of said note time of payment thereof was extended to December, 15th, 1881.

And whereas, it is provided in said deed of trust that in case default shall be made in payment of said principal sum of money, or any part thereof, when the same becomes due and payable, on application of Anna M. Backus, or the legal holder of said note, having first given twenty days' notice by publishing the same in a newspaper printed in the county where the premises are situated—it shall be lawful for said party of the second part to sell said premises at public sale at such time and place as said party of the second part may appoint; and, whereas said principal note is past due and wholly unpaid, and upon which there will be due January 20th, A. D. 1882, the sum of $2,205, and said Anna M. Backus having made application to the undersigned to advertise and sell said premises under the provisions of said deed of trust. Now therefore, notice is hereby given that we the undersigned trustees, shall, on Friday the 20th day of January, A. D. 1882, at the hour of 12 o'clock M., at the west outside door of the Court House, in the city of Decatur, county of Macon and State of Illinois, offer for sale to the highest bidder, for cash in hand, the above described premises, and upon making sale thereof, will make to the purchaser a good and sufficient deed therefor.

December 20th, A. D 1881.
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JASPER J. PEDDECORD,
LOWBER BURROWS,
Trustees.

Savings Fund
Building Association
OF DECATUR, ILLINOIS.

Its organization duly authorized under the statute, and the constitutionality of the law duly affirmed by the Supreme Court.

Any one can become a Stockholder in the Association upon payment of **50 Cents** monthly, the dues required being only **50 Cents** per share, payable on or before the LAST TUESDAY EVENING OF THE MONTH, at which time the total amount of dues paid in is loaned on the stock of the holder offering the highest premium, with approved real estate security. It is a system that combines the SMALL SAVINGS OF MANY INTO ONE LARGE SUM available for such investment as only capital can command, and hence it is known as the Mutual or Co-operative System of

SAVING AND BORROWING!

in other words, a

Banking System of the People, for the People, by the People,

Copies of the Charter and By-Laws can be seen at the Office of the Secretary and Treasurer.

K. H. ROBY, President.
C. A. EWING, Vice Pres't
B. K. DURFEE, Sec'y and Treas

DIRECTORS—B. O. McReynolds, C. A. Ewing, K. H. Roby, F. Kuny, J. W. Rutman, J. K. Warren, K. Harwood.
Decatur, Ill., Dec. 9, 1881.

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Having large experience and facilities for advantageous buying, I offer my services to those at a distance who are in want of the better grades of goods not usually found in smaller places. As the Metropolis of the West, Chicago now offers in great assortment and fine qualities of merchandise all the most fastidious "Shopper" could desire, and it will be my pleasure to bring these facilities within reach of those who cannot attend in person, making at this time a specialty of

Holiday Goods!

in the hope that my efforts to please will also secure the further patronage in their constant wants of those I may serve.

Special attention given to Dry Goods in all departments, Curtains, Carpets, Furnishing Goods, Millinery, Furniture, Jewelry, Silverware, Pictures and Pianos.

To all who will name their wants as near as may be by letter, stating the nature of the surroundings or use to which the article will be put, with limits as to price, descriptions and prices will be given that will enable my patrons to practically make their own selections. Send orders, or for circular to

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Dec. 14-d4w*

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In all its Branches,
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Sermons and Orations revised, Lectures Written, Dramas placed upon the Stage, and special attention given to Bible and Shakeperian Readings.

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Patent Solicitor and Mechanical Draughtsman.
Office with H. W. Hill & Co cor er of West Main and Church Streets Decatur, Ill. P. O. Box 238. Sept3-d&wtf

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ONE YEAR AGO
THE FIRST OF LAST OCTOBER,

I commenced business. My sales for the last three months have been **TWICE AS LARGE** as for the corresponding months last year, which fact encourages me to continue selling good

HONEST GOODS
ON EXTREMELY
CLOSE MARGINS,

believing that such a course will greatly increase the volume of my trade and benefit me as well as my customers. In order to clearly demonstrate that I will sell you good

BOOTS
—OR—
SHOES
FOR LESS MONEY

than you can buy them elsewhere, it will be necessary for you to call.

I shall be glad to see you at any time, and promising you the best of treatment and a GENUINE BARGAIN every time you favor me with your patronage, I remain,

Very truly, yours,

J. W. BAKER,
18 EAST MAIN STREET.

Jan 2, 1882—d&wy

USE LAWRENCE & MARTIN'S
TOLU ROCK and RYE.
TRADE MARK

Over 2,000,000 Bottles Consumed Annually.

FOR COUGHS, COLDS, SORE THROAT, BRONCHITIS, ASTHMA, PNEUMONIA, CONSUMPTION and all Diseases of the THROAT, CHEST AND LUNGS.

BALSAM OF TOLU

Has always been one of the most important weapons wielded by the MEDICAL FACULTY against the encroachments of COUGHS, COLDS, BRONCHITIS, ASTHMA, SORE THROAT, CONSUMPTION in its incipient and advanced stages, and all diseases of the THROAT, CHEST and LUNGS, but it has never been so advantageously compounded as in the celebrated TOLU, ROCK and RYE. In addition to its soothing Balsamic properties, it affords a diffusive stimulant and tonic, to build up the system after the cough has been relieved.

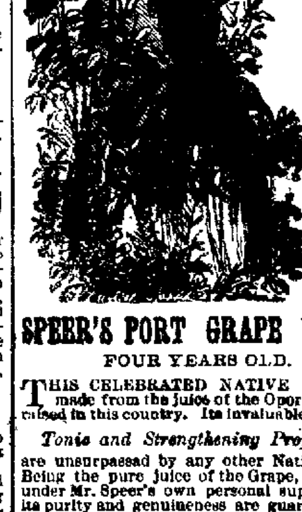
☞ Put up in Quart Size Bottles for Family Use, Price, $1.00.

CAUTION! Do not be deceived by dealers who try to palm off upon you Rock and Rye in place of our TOLU, ROCK AND RYE, which is the ONLY MEDICATED article made—the genuine has a Private Die Proprietary Stamp on each bottle.

THE TOLU, ROCK and RYE CO., Proprietors, 41 River St., Chicago, Ill.

SOLD BY DRUGGISTS, GROCERS AND DEALERS EVERYWHERE.
Jan. 2, 1882—d6m

SPEER'S
PORT GRAPE WINE!
Used in the principal Churches for Communion purposes.
EXCELLENT FOR LADIES AND WEAKLY PERSONS AND THE AGED.



EXCELLENT FOR FEMALES AND WEAKLY PERSONS

SPEER'S PORT GRAPE WINE,
FOUR YEARS OLD.

THIS CELEBRATED NATIVE WINE is made from the juice of the Oporto Grape, raised in this country. Its invaluable

Tonic and Strengthening Properties

are unsurpassed by any other Native Wine. Being the pure juice of the Grape, produced under Mr. Speer's own personal supervision, its purity and genuineness are guaranteed.—The youngest child may partake of its generous qualities, and the weakest invalid use it to advantage. It is particularly beneficial to the aged and debilitated, and suited to the various ailments that affect the weaker sex. It is in every respect A WINE TO BE RELIED ON.

SPEER'S
P. J. SHERRY.

The P. J. SHERRY is a wine of Superior Character, and partakes of the rich qualities of the grape from which it is made. For Purity, Richness, Flavor and Medicinal Properties, it will be found unexcelled.

SPEER'S
P. J. BRANDY

This BRANDY stands unrivalled in this Country, being far superior for medicinal purposes.

IT IS A PURE distillation from the grape, and contains valuable medicinal properties.

It has a delicate flavor, similar to that of the grapes, from which it is distilled, and is in great favor among first-class families.

See that the signature of ALFRED SPEER Passaic, N. J., is over the cork of each bottle

Sold by W. C. Armstrong,
And by Druggists Everywhere.
Aug. 31 1881—d1r

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of WILLIAM CANTRELL, Deceased
PUBLIC notice is hereby given to all persons having claims and demands against the estate of William Cantrell, deceased, to present the same for adjudication and settlement at a regular term of the County Court of Macon county, to be holden at the Court House, in the city of Decatur, on the second Monday of February, A. D. 1882, being the first day of said term.

DECATUR, Ill., Dec. 21, A. D. 1881.
dec21d3w MICHAEL ELSON, Executor.

BLENZ & DANZEISEN
BUTCHERS
—AND—
PACKERS,
WEST SIDE OF THE OLD SQUARE
A NEW STOCK OF
SMOKED AND CURED
MEATS,
Hams,
Breakfast Bacon,
Dried Beef,
Bologna and Lard
at Wholesale and Retail.

FRESH MEATS
of all kinds on hand. We kill only first-class toes. Feb19'78dtfd.

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—OF—
PEDDECORD, BURROWS & CO.
—WE HAVE—
MONEY TO LOAN
IN VARIOUS SUMS ON THE
Most Favorable Terms,
Secured by Mortgage on Real Estate.
We keep a supply of
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on hand at all times, which we will sell at the
LOWEST MARKET RATES.
☞ A general Banking Business transacted but no interest paid on deposits.

TRADE S.S.S. MARK

The Wonder of the Nineteenth Century and only Syphilitic Specific known, *curing all blood diseases, hereditary or otherwise.*

WM. R. & T. W. HOOPER, contractors, Atlanta, Ga., say: "One of our workmen was cured of a case of Syphilis of five years' standing with S. S. S."

"Sold several gross at retail, success attending every sale." J. B. BOND, Little Rock, Ark.

Ask the druggist or write for the little book. SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., Pro.'s, Atlanta, Ga. Sold by druggists everywhere. Price reduced to $1 75 per bottle. Small size price $1.00. 6

The Daily Republican.

DECATUR, ILL., JANUARY 14, 1882.

TEMPERANCE meeting to-night.

That Rinehart Paper Mill.
Danville Commercial.

The subscriptions to the paper mill now amount to over $2,000, and the committee are confident of securing the required amount, $3,000, in a very short time. Our citizens have given liberally to other manufacturing enterprises, and are ready and willing to contribute to any industry that will enhance the value of the property of the city, give employment to the needy, and consume the product of the country. The location of a paper mill here will add greatly to the material growth of the community, and consume a large product, straw, which has hitherto been burned.

Opposed to It.

We hear it stated on the streets that those who approve the course the Illinois State Christian Temperance Union has followed thus far in battling for the suppression of the liquor traffic, are opposed to striking out the word "Christian," as is proposed by the members of the "Illinois Temperance Alliance," a rival organization. The executive board of the Christian Union has issued a call for the I. C. T. U., to be held in Springfield next week to act on this scheme, but if the temperance workers throughout Illinois feel as do the Decatur friends of the cause, no consolidation will be made. The "Alliance" folks are extremely anxious to absorb the older organization.

DUNNING A DEBTOR.

The following are twelve rules suggested by somebody for *dunning* a debtor:

1. Never give the idea that you call because you happened to be in the neighborhood.
2. Never plead that you are in absolute need of the money.
3. Never explain why you want the money further than by some general phrase, as to meet outstanding bills.
4. Always be civil, however business-like and importunate you may deem it necessary to be.
5. Never think you have done wrong because a debtor gets angry. His anger, under civil treatment, shows that he does not intend to pay.
6. Show quite as firm a resolution to get the money on your tenth call as on any previous one, or else it would have been better if you had not made it.
7. Never leave a debtor without his setting a time when he thinks he can pay, and never fail to be on hand at the time set.
8. As between yourself and an employe, let the most business-like of the two make the dun.
9. Suggest installments to the debtor to pay something every week or month.—It will convince him that you have set to work in earnest to get the money.
10. If a debtor gets angry, or has worn out your patience, a threat to attach his salary may be effective, not so much that he is likely to fear you will get the money that way, as that he will be anxious that the affair shall not come to the knowledge of his employer.
11. A similar effect may be produced by saying you intend to place the bill in the hands of a lawyer whom he hates or who has a reputation for harassing debtors.
12. Drop into a debtor's favorite haunts. It will make him uneasy, especially if you don't hesitate to ask him politely, but plumply, for your money on the occasion. This may often happen after he has displayed a roll of bills.

NOW GET REAL BARGAINS.

Closing Out Sale at Einstein's Emporium of Fashion.

The ladies of the city and county will be pleased to learn that Mrs. Einstein has decided to close out her full stock of fashionable millinery goods and notions at greatly reduced prices for cash, to make room for new purchases which will soon arrive. Now is the time to get desirable goods at *actual cost*. The entire stock *must* be closed out within 15 days, and those who come first will get the pick of the fine display. Everything has been marked down to bottom figures. Hats trimmed at the lowest living terms. If you want real bargains in the millinery line make no delay, but call at once at MRS. EINSTEIN'S, No. 28 East Main street.
Dec. 26—d&wtf

SHELLABARGER'S patent process flour saves one-half the labor in baking, and will make more bread to the pound than any other flour sold here. dec18d&wtf

She Got it Free of Charge.

Call at Stoner's drug store and get a sample bottle of Brown's Expectorant free of charge. It cures coughs, hoarseness, whooping cough, and consumption in its early stages.

It is a scientific preparation, admirably adapted for the cure of all throat and lung diseases. It is pleasant to take and entirely harmless.

Try it. It costs you nothing. Regular size bottles 50 cents and $1. For sale by Dr. A. J. STONER. July8d&w6m

THE old Hindoo saw in his dreams the human race led out to its various fortunes. First, men were in chains, which went back to an iron hand. Then he saw them led by threads from the brain, which went upward to an unseen hand. The first was despotism, iron, and ruling by force. The last was civilization ruling by ideas.

CHEAP CHARLEY manufactures fine clothing expressly for retail trade, thereby saving the jobber's profit for his customers.

For Sale.

Residence property in good condition near the Mound. Inquire at the REPUBLICAN Job Rooms of
Dec. 9—dtf JOHN W. LYON.

USED for dyspepsia, indigestion, weak stomach, liver troubles, jaundice, constipation, &c., Carter's Liver Bitters show improvement almost from the first dose.
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Suitable, Serviceable, Sensible

Holiday goods, at Wingate's Decatur Lamp Store, Central Block.
Dec20-d2w

SHELLABARGER'S Patent Process Flour retains all the nourishment contained in the wheat. None of its virtues are wasted. Try it. Dec18-d&wtf

The Monument Fund.

Subscriptions of one dollar to the Garfield Monument Fund will be received at the banking houses of Peddecord, Burrows & Co., J. Millikin & Co., Decatur National Bank, and R. P. Lytle, Postmaster. J. J. PEDDECORD,
Authorized Agent for Macon county.
Dec. 28—dtf

IF you have tender feet and want a pair of boots or shoes made to measure, go to J. W. Baker's. Perfect fits guaranteed.
Dec10d&wtf

"That's What Papa Does."

A friend lately gave the experience of a skillful professional man, in the following words:

"My early practice," said the doctor, "was successful, and I soon attained an enviable position. I married a lovely girl; two children were born to us, and my domestic happiness was comdlete. But I was often invited to social parties where wine was freely circulated, and I soon became a slave in its power. Before I was aware of it I was a drunkard. My noble wife never taunted me with a bitter word—never ceased to pray for my reformation. We became wretchedly poor, so that my family was pinched for daily bread. One beautiful Sabbath my wife went to church and left me lying on a lounge sleeping off my previous debauchery. I was aroused by hearing something fall heavily on the floor; I opened my eyes and saw my little boy of six years tumbling on the carpet. His older brother said to him: 'Now get up and fall again; That's the way papa does! Let's play we are drunk!' I watched the child as he personated my beastly movements, in a way that would have done credit to an actor. I arose and left the house, groaning in agony and remove. I walked off miles into the country, thinking of my abominable sin and the example I was setting before my children. I solemnly resolved that, with God's help. I would quit the cup and I did."

A Valley of Roses.
San Francisco Letter to the Baltimore Sun.

The maritime vale of Santa Barbara, for sixty miles facing the Pacific ocean, we consider the most attractive in California. The soil is extra deep, dark alluvium. By the formation or the coast it is sheltered from the rude trade winds, elsewhere so unpleasant on our shores. San Francisco being in north latitude 37½ degrees, Santa Barbara is 34½ degrees north—three degrees southwardly. Here flourish in luxuriance the fig tree and the olive, the prune and the almond, the orange and the lemon, the nectarine and the pomegranite. Here grows Alfalfa clover, giving three cuttings a year and pasture through the winter. Here flowers bloom perennially. Here only is a paradise of roses and other fragrant flowers cultivated for commercial perfumery. Here the bee pastures all the year, the hivers gather honey every day, and, abstaining themselves, they give to man nearly their whole production. Only in stress of stormy weather they draw upon their hoarded sweets. Feathered songsters never migrate from this elysium. Man's dwelling is enlivened by the chirp of birds, and their music gives perpetual cheer, unchecked by winter frosts. Happy, thrice blessed, are they whose lot is cast where happiness is so lightly wooed and won! Here in mid-December the company's rose-gardens are a sight to charm the eye, when, day by day, children gather over-blooming flowers for extraction of perfume for the toilet. At Kezanlik, in the foot-hills of the Balkan range, in Roumelia, South Turkey, north latitude 42½ degrees, is a valley devoted to rose culture exclusively for like purposes, but there the sale of nosegays to many villages is very profitable. There, as here, the hair and clothes of all who work among the roses retain the perfume for a week of absence from the valley.

Jealousy.

Some poet has said that "All torments of the damned we find in only thee, Oh Jealousy, thy tyrant of the mind." This is grandly sweeping and magnificently inaccurate. Any sufferer from Indigestion knows to the contrary. Indigestion, the villain of the tragedy played among the gastric juices of the stomach can, and does doubly discount the horrors of jealousy. Jealousy is often an attendant upon the latter, and when indigestion is removed this jaundiced companion of a deranged liver flies. TARAXINE is the best known remedy extant for impaired digestion, deranged liver, and diseases of the bowels and kidneys.
DR A. J. STONER, Agent. [jul8d&w6m

The Imperial Palace at Strasburg.

The proposed imperial palace at Strasburg is the outcome of a wish often expressed by the emperor, that the accommodations at the disposal of the court during the visits which are periodically made to that city should be larger and more in keeping with imperial traditions. It is also, no doubt, true that this is only a part of the well known German policy of increasing in every possible way the ties which unite the conquered provinces to the empire. The estimate of the cost of the proposed palace is 2,660,000 marks.

WE picture death as coming to destroy; let us rather picture Christ as coming to save. We think of death as ending; let us rather think of life as beginning, and that more abundantly. We think of losing; let us think of gaining. We think of parting; let us think of meeting. We think of going away; let us think of arriving. And as the voice of death whispers, "You must go from earth," let us hear the voice of Christ saying, "You are but coming to me!"—*Norman McLeod.*

VICTOR HUGO was talking about age, and confessed, in a charming humor, that the most disagreeable advance to him was that from thirty-nine to forty. "Oh, that terrible forty!" he said. "But," remarked some one, "I should think it a great deal better to be forty than fifty." "Not at all," replied Hugo; "forty years is the old age of youth, while fifty years is the youth of old age."

THE Shah of Persia would like very much to secure the Princess of Wales as one of his wives, and recently proposed to give in exchange for her two of his best wives, and throw in his mother and grandmother. Albert Edward declined the proposition.

WE WANT your custom, and think we can offer you inducements if you will come and see us, which will be sufficient to satisfy you that our store is the best place in town to trade. Bargains are to be had every day this winter.
d&wtf BARBER & BAKER.

IF you want mill feed, corn or oats, you can be supplied at Shellabarger's.
Dec. 19—d&wtf

THIS from an exchange is about the size of it:

Nearly every week some one asks us, "Why didn't you get the item about so-and-so?" We are no encyclopedia of local news. We didn't hear the item about "so-and-so;" if we had, we should have published it. If you know of an item that you would like to have in the paper, tell about it, and we'll be only too glad to publish it, even if it costs you 20 cents a line. We are whole-souled, open-hearted, magnanimous. We know a good deal, but we don't know it all—if we did we'd publish it. Some of the very best items that occur do not get into print at all, for the reason that some people think the editor of newspapers ought to know things without being told.

ALTHOUGH the membership of Plymouth church does not fall off, the revenue derived from the sale of seats does. Last year the falling off was $4,000.

Coal Oil at Your Door.

Let every one who dislikes to go to the store with the coal oil can, remember that they can have coal oil, gasoline, lamp burners, wicks, chimneys, etc., left at their door any day in the week by Mr. Gaspard Buzian. Mr. Buzian is well known to most of our people as an honest, industrious old man, and by patronizing him they will not only assist him, but at the same time secure the best of oils, as cheap or cheaper than they can be purchased at the stores. Mr. Buzian has a cart fitted up expressly for his business, and will make the rounds of the city every day. Everything pertaining to lamps and oil constantly on hand. Reserve your orders until he calls upon you.
Dec28-d2w

WE BUY for cash, buy cheap, sell on low margins, try to get the best made and most durable goods that we can find; try to please our customers, never make any misrepresentations knowingly, always willing to correct mistakes, want your trade. Come and see us; we are always glad to see old friends and make new ones. BARBER & BAKER.
d&wtf

"One Tale is Good Until Another is Told."

We are greatly obliged to *some* of the *dry goods* merchants of Decatur for the manifest interest they take in our business,—particularly that part which relates to our expenses. And that they may not suffer in mind, we assure them, we understand the situation exactly. Our expenses are large. Not as large as Marshall Field & Co., nor A. T. Stewart & Co., and yet, not near so large as all the retail stores in Decatur together—by—say from thirty to forty thousand dollars a year. And yet our sales will equal the combined sales of the latter. Then in buying goods in large quantities and from first hands, we save from thirty to forty thousand dollars a year more. So we have the advantage of from sixty to eighty thousand dollars a year in competing for the trade of this section. And our worthy competitors who make it a business to agitate this subject, will please state *whose customers* pay this *great difference in expenses.* Very Respectfully,
Dec21-d&wtf LINN & SCRUGGS.

A POPULAR TONIC
For Weak Lungs and Consumption.

No preparation ever introduced to the American public, for the relief and cure of Coughs, Colds, Sore Throat, Debilitated Constitution, Weakness of the Lungs, or Consumption in the incipient or advanced stages of the disease, has ever met with the indorsements of physicians or patients as the celebrated "Tolu, Rock and Rye." The repeated and continued sales of the article everywhere are the best evidence of its real merits. Letters and testimonials from every quarter of the country, attesting the stimulating, tonic and healing effects, are in possession of the proprietors, and can be adduced to convince the most skeptical reader of its intrinsic virtues. Further commendation is unnecessary and superfluous, as a trial of this article, having a pleasant taste and agreeable flavor, will satisfy all those who are afflicted or pining away with pulmonary weakness of the relief to be secured by the use of Tolu, Rock and Rye. (Chicago Times.) Jan23d3mo

Nothing Short of Unmistakable Benefits

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Executor's Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, }ss.
Macon County, }
In the County Court to January Term, 1882.
In the matter of the estate of GEORGE DILLING, deceased:
To all whom it may Concern:
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That on January 16th, 1882, A. W. Kirkpatrick and John L. Kuns, executors, will file a final report and a petition in said cause in said court asking that said estate be adjudged settled, and that said executors be discharged.
December 31st, 1881.
A. W. KIRKPATRICK.
JOHN L. KUNS.
Executors.
E. S McDONALD, Att'y [Dec 31—d2w

In the District Court of the United States for the Southern District of Illinois.

In Bankruptcy, No. 1,110.

In the matter of Harvey Pasco bankrupt.
Notice is hereby given that a petition has been filed in said court by Harvey Pasco, late of Macon, in the county of Macon, in said district, duly declared bankrupt under the act of Congress of March 2d, 1867, and the amendments thereto, for a discharge and certificate thereof, from all his debts and other claims provable under said act, and the 7th day of February, A. D. 1882, at eleven o'clock A. M., is assigned for the hearing of the same by the said court, at the United States Court Room in the city of Springfield, when and where all creditors of said Bankrupt, and all other persons in interest, may attend and show cause if any they have, why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.
M. B. CONVERSE, Clerk.
H. CREA, Attorney for Petitioner.
Dated at Springfield, January 4th, 1882.
Jan. 5—d4w

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No. 6, Through Express .... 7:05 a. m
" 4 Atlantic Express .... 12:00 m.
" 2, Lightning Express .... 10:55 p. m
" 8, Bement Accommodation .... 7:50 p. m

The following freight trains will carry passengers with tickets:

Going East .... 10:20 a. m
Going " .... 7:15 p. m
Going " .... 4:00 a. m

GOING WEST.

No. 3, Fast Line .... 4:35 a. m
" 7, Jacksonville Accommodation, 6:50 a. m
" 5, Fast Mail .... 8:40 p. m
" 1, Through Express .... 7:30 p. m

The following freight trains will carry passengers with tickets:

Going west .... 1:45 p. m
Going " .... 11:30 p. m

Chicago Division.

On and after Sunday, May 15th, 1881, trains will run as follows on the Chicago Division of the W., St. L. & P. R'y by way of Bement.

GOING EAST.

No. 48, Chicago Express .... 12:25 a. m
" 46, Through Express .... 7:15 a. m
" 44, Chicago Mail .... 12:55 p. m

ARRIVE FROM CHICAGO.

No. 47, St. Louis Express .... 3:45 a. m
" 45, St. Louis Mail .... 3:35 p. m
" 41, Through Express .... 7:15 p. m

St. Louis Division.
GOING WEST.

No. 47, St. Louis Express .... 3:55 a. m
" 41, Fast Line .... 6:05 a. m
" 41, Decatur and St. Louis Accom., 6:3 a. m
" 45, Fast Mail .... 3:50 p. m

ARRIVE FROM ST. LOUIS.

No. 48, Chicago Express .... 12:15 a. m
" 44, Atlantic Express .... 11:55 a. m
" , St. Louis and Decatur Accom., 9:15 p. m
" 42, Lightning Express .... 10:40 p. m

The following freight trains will carry passengers with tickets on the St. Louis Division.

Going West .... 7:30 a. m
Arrive from West .... 1:00 p. m

Champaign Division.

Arrive from East .... 10:40 a. m
Leave for Champaign .... 2:00 p. m

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Passenger .... 10 40 a. m.
" .... 9 50 p. m.
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GOING WEST.

Passenger .... 7 00 a. m.
" .... 5 20 p. m.
Freight .... 11 05 a. m.

C. L. BRADBURY, Gen'l Manager.
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C. L. HOVEY, Freight Agent
Decatur, Ill., Jan. 1, 1882

ILLINOIS CENTRAL R. R.

DECATUR STATION, Jan. 1, 1882.
Until further notice, trains on this line will leave Decatur as follows:

GOING NORTH.

Passenger .... 6:05 a. m
Accommodation .... 3:30 p. m
Freight .... 4:20 a. m

GOING SOUTH.

Accommodation .... 10:10 a. m
Passenger .... 5:50 p. m
Freight .... 10:10 a. m

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Mail and Express No. 2 .... 12 15 p. m
Night Express No. 4 .... 11 00 p. m.
Way Freight .... 6 00 a. m
Mixed and Stock Train No. 10 .... 5 50 p. m.

ARRIVE FROM INDIANAPOLIS.

Mail and Day Express No. 1 .... 3 00 p. m.
Night Express No. 3 .... 4 30 a. m.
Way Freight .... 7 30 p. m.
Through Fr'ht and mixed train No. 9, 8 15 a. m

H. S. MORSE, Superintendent.
G. T. NUTTER, Traffic Manager.
Decatur, Ill., April 17, 1881

ILLINOIS MIDLAND R'Y.

On and after Sunday, Dec. 4th, 1881, trains will arrive and leave as follows:

GOING SOUTHEAST.

Mail and Express .... 11:25 a. m.
Way Freight .... 6:40 a. m.
Through Freight .... 6:00 p. m.

GOING NORTHWEST.

Mail and Express .... 12:30 p. m.
Way Freight .... 7:36 a. m.
Through Freight .... 9:00 p. m.

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